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La Porte County Commissioners Meeting Agenda Wednesday, September 2, 2020 La Porte County Complex Meeting Room 3 at 10:00 a.m.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Roll Call
- 4. Consider Agenda
- 5. Consider approval of August 19, 2020 minutes
- 6. Consideration of Claims
  - a. Payroll ending 8/28/2020 \$1,188,189.23
  - **b.** Miscellaneous claims \$1,809,402.54
- 7. Public Comment
- 8. Department Reports/Department Head Comments
- 9. Requests
  - a. Consider agreement for EMS to assist La Porte Hospital during move to new facility
  - b. Consider permission to approach the council for budget shortages in fuel/overtime accounts and annual computer replacement program Andrew McGuire, EMS Director
- 10. Old Business
  - a. Consider update on streaming services franchise fees lawsuit filed by Cities of Valparaiso, Indianapolis and Evansville
- 11. New Business
  - a. Consider authorizing change orders as per Tonn & Blank request
  - b. Consider authorizing start-up of bridge-naming program authorized by Resolution 2019-14 with naming Johnson Road bridge over I-94 after late Michigan City Mayor Cliff Arnold and Johnson Road bridge over I-80 Toll Road named for former Sheriff and State Senator Jim Arnold
  - c. Consider USI Consultants for on-call design, survey and right of way for urgent contract situations requiring immediate response Ben Beer, John Smith, USI
  - d. Consider full and final resolution of Twin Acres subdivision litigation *Martin et al. v. Koselke et al.* with contribution by county of \$30,000.00 with other parties contributing \$20,000.00 toward settlement amount of \$50,000.00
  - e. Consider resolution to proceed with due diligence on potential acquisition of storage facility at 507 Monroe Street, La Porte for PPE and related equipment reimbursable from CARES Act funds
  - f. Consider resolution of support for grant funding through NIRPC for Regional Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory, a project of Indiana University's Sustainability Development Program – Nancy Moldenhauer, Chair, Michigan City Sustainability Commission
- 12. Commissioner Comments
- 13. Adjournment